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Featuring for Saturday, Exceptional Values in
New Spring Coats and Suits
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Stunning Suits

You are assured of correct style when you buy one of our Suits—

But the quality is there also.

It is found in dependable materials—

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This is a season for Short Coats.

Nothing is neater, more useful and more stylish—

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They are ideal Spring Coats.

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HAPPY VERMONT BOY.

He Gets Letter Praising Him for His Public Spirit.

Master Edgar R. Jones of Chester is one of the happiest boys in Vermont, as he has just received from Mrs. F. J. Higgins, government director of savings, a letter praising him for his public spirit and interest in spreading the thrift movement.

Edgar wrote a letter to Thornton K. Burgess of Springfield, originator of the Happy Jack Thrift Club, printing it letter by letter on a slip of paper and saying:

"Dear Mr. Burgess—I would like to get up a Happy Jack Thrift Club. Will you let me? Please do! I like those bedtime stories and Old Mother West Wind books you write. My address is Master Edgar R. Jones, Chester, Vt. With love, Edgar R. Jones."

Mr. Burgess referred the boy's letter to Mrs. Higgins, at the same time dropping him a line commending him. Mrs. Higgins sent the following letter to him:

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Young Men's SUITS

We are showing some very swell Suits for Spring.

There are many new color combinations, also plain colors in Blue, Green, Brown and Gray.

We are sure that a look will mean a sale. Prices are moderate.

The
Frank McWhorter Co.

BARRE DAILY TIMES

FRIDAY, APRIL 23, 1920.

The Weather

Rain probably to-night and Saturday morning; followed by clearing during Saturday; not much change in temperature; strong south shifting to west winds.

TALK OF THE TOWN

Saturday special on all kinds of nuts at Noyes.

Overall dance April 28, Howland hall; Landi's orchestra—adv.

Sweet family concert to-night, Universalist church, 8 o'clock—adv.

For Sale—Two- and three-burner Perfection oil stoves. Abram Fine, 46 Maple avenue.

Daniel Casselini of Central street left last night for Claremont, N. H., where he expects to secure employment.

Don't forget the dance in Worthen hall April 26; good music; gents 55c, ladies free. Come one, come all—adv.

Largest line of new and second-hand ranges and heaters in Barre at lowest prices. E. A. Prindle, Worthen block.

Spaulding alumni and students—Don't forget there will be dancing after the glee club concert in assembly hall to-night—adv.

Warner Wheeler was another to leave yesterday afternoon for Detroit, Mich., and the Dodge automobile factory in the interest of the Perry Automobile Co., and will drive a new car back from the factory.

Mrs. Josephine Stone took her little son, Frederick, to the Mary Fletcher hospital in Burlington this morning, where the child is being treated. Mrs. George N. Stone of North Barre accompanied them to pass a few days with acquaintances in that city.

The local K. of C. committee for the pool, billiard and card tournaments is endeavoring to meet the Montpelier council's committee so that arrangements for the deciding match for the year may be made. As the councils are tied for points, an extra meet must be played to decide the winner of the 10-game series and this tournament, it is hoped, will be played next Thursday evening.

The rooms for the meet will be decided by the toss of a coin, but the place of the banquet to the victors is in the banquet hall of the defeated.

Residents of South Main street, especially parents of small children, object strenuously to the speeding of automobiles along that thoroughfare and believe that such practice should be nipped in the bud before the season gets a good foothold. An observant citizen yesterday noted the speed of cars along Barre's main streets and took note of the cars speeding past school buildings. Some of these drivers took no precaution whatever in passing school buildings. Some of these drivers the lives of children and more especially those impulsive and thoughtless children who are always found among large groups. Possibly a stiff court sentence upon two or two violators would curb the practice and make the travel of pedestrians much safer.

In about two weeks' time the American Legion clubhouse is expected to be in readiness for occupancy. The building, formerly for many years known as the Church street schoolhouse, has been altered in several ways so that the best accommodations for a clubhouse might be constructed. On the lower floor a front entrance door has been removed and the space filled in with bricks, in accordance with the remainder of the building. Windows in one or two instances have been repaired and the interior enlarged as much as possible. At the front entrance is a small hall, leading to the two large rooms that when completed and furnished will be a reading room and a pool and billiard room, respectively. The entire second floor has been made into a dance hall with a hardwood floor, the equal of which will be hard to find in this city. During the past week some of the furnishings for the house have been received, but much more is expected before the opening.

A circular received by Station Agent J. L. H. Carr of the Central Vermont railway yesterday bears the information that all trains on all divisions of the Boston & Maine railroad, also St. Johnsbury & Lake Champlain railroad, Montpelier & Wells River railroad, New Haven & Hartford railroad, and the Boston & Albany railroad will be advanced practically one hour earlier than the present schedules beginning Sunday, April 25, on the southern division, which extends as far south as Windsor. A similar change occurs on the northern division Sunday, May 2, and affects more directly Barre and Montpelier trains. Time tables for this change have not as yet been received at the local station. This change in schedule and the different systems of time in New England, he says to bring about more complications with the train schedules, as may be readily discerned by the new changes.

Mixed nuts 57c a lb., Saturday special at Noyes.

The death of Mary E. Fiske, wife of E. S. Fiske, occurred last evening at her home, 31 College street, after an illness of a year's duration, six months of which she had been confined to her bed. The deceased was born in Rochester Aug. 29, 1850, and passed the early years of her life in that town and vicinity. She was twice married, her first husband, Julius Bassett, passing away in 1883. Five years later she was married to Mr. Fiske at Bethel and 22 years ago they removed to Montpelier, where they have since resided. Mrs. Fiske is survived by her husband and two children, Miss Florence Fiske of Montpelier and Fred J. Bassett of Seattle, Wash. The funeral will be held Saturday.

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Boxing of Varied Qualities Was Furnished Last Evening.

Twenty-four rounds of good, bad and indifferent fighting were furnished last evening at the armory to a fair-sized crowd of fight fans, one knockout being scored during the show, but the main feature, a 12-round go between ex-Sergeant Swarstrom and Eddie Barrelli of Quincy resulting in a draw, although had a decision been rendered the Quincy lad would probably have been returned the winner on his cleverness. The Gallagher brothers of Montpelier furnished the opening event, a four-round affair. Both were quick and worked steadily but all the blows were struck with the gloves opened and neither suffered any punishment. Their work, however, was fast and it pleased the fans more than the later bouts. Probably the best match of the evening was the next one on the program, four rounds between Kid Holmes of Montpelier and Young Lord of Berlin. Both boys were with the YD division in Barre, where they boxed day after day. Last evening they "went to it" hammer and tongs and at the finish neither was able to hit hard enough to hurt. To their credit it may be said that they fought fair and hard from start to finish and from a fighting standpoint put on the best event of the evening. Sailor Wheel of Burlington, who claims some championship or other, still retains his honors, whatever they may be, as he disposed of a challenger, Battling McGovern of Bennington, in the fourth round of a scheduled eight-round affair. McGovern started like a cyclone and finished very quietly. He swung wildly and blindly and evidently tired himself by his tactics, for when the sailor hit him a couple of wallops in the fourth he stretched himself on the mat and it was with much difficulty that he was persuaded to get up at all. He wanted to spend the rest of the night in the ring, but on his back, not on his feet. The "champion" showed quite a bit of skill and easily avoided the Battler's would-be haymakers. Swarstrom and Barrelli put up a nice exhibition, the Quincy boy being about the cleverest fighter who has exhibited in Montpelier. Swarstrom was unable to hit him and most of the fight both men were in a clinch.

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\$19.75

If It's a Suit—You'll Save Money Here And Don't Miss the Following Bargains

Women's Black Cotton Hose

We were very fortunate in securing a case of Ipswich Seconds, so called, but, the imperfections are so slight, we doubt if you can find them. Sold in the regular way these Hose sell at 50c. For Friday and Saturday we offer them while they last at, per pair,

25c

Ladies' Night Robes

Good materials, Nainsook or Crepe, some embroidered, others plain. Every one a \$2.00 value. For Friday and Saturday, each,

\$1.49

Children's Dresses

Our spring line is here. A splendid assortment of pretty styles and at moderate prices.

THE UNION DRY GOODS COMPANY

Russell's Week-End Specials

100 lbs. CREAM CARAMELS, per lb. 60c
\$1.25 Boxes LIGGETT'S AND APOLLO CHOCOLATES, 1 for regular price and another for 1c

MAY COLUMBIA RECORDS ON SALE

Red Cross Pharmacy

TALK OF THE TOWN

Walnut meats, 57c a lb., Saturday special at Noyes.

The prima donna of the Sweet family surely can sing and Gloria Anna is a wonder—adv.

Sergeant Joseph Bianchi of the United States marines, who has been spending two months of a three months' furlough with his sister, Mrs. F. Franz of Washington street, left this morning for Boston to pass the remainder of his vacation with relatives in that city and Charlestown, Mass.

Thomas Hopkins, who left here early this week to submit to examinations under army examiners for entrance to an army vocational school, arrived in the city this morning to pass the week end at the home of his sister, Mrs.

Mary E. McCarthy of Summer street, since he enters Amherst college next Tuesday morning to pursue agricultural studies.

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RHODE ISLAND RED SETTING EGGS for sale; good laying strain, \$1.00 for 12; tel. 2-4.

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Macabees, attention! The collector will be at Frank McWhorter's clothing store this week Saturday afternoon from 2 to 5 to take dues.

Everybody invited to the glee club concert at Spaulding assembly hall to-night. Proceeds to purchase instruments for school orchestra—adv.

The Sweet family will donate the entire receipts of the concert to the organ fund. You will have a splendid time and help a worthy cause—adv.

Miss Lily Genero, daughter of Mrs. William Brown of Westerville, and Alfred Dunn of Hartford, Conn., were married in the latter city Wednesday, April 21. Mr. and Mrs. Dunn are now spending a few days with the bride's parents, after which they will return to their home in Hartford.

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